

REMARKS

The applicant amends the specification to insert a claim of priority and benefit to earlier filed applications, amend the title of the application, insert additional paragraphs of description, and two additional drawing sheets, as set out above. The applicant further cancels without prejudice claims 1-21 of the parent application. The applicant does not waive any right to have canceled claims 1-21 examined in a subsequent continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part, or other type of continuing application, without reduction of the scope or breadth of the claims.

The applicant respectfully requests entry of these amendments.

CONCLUSION

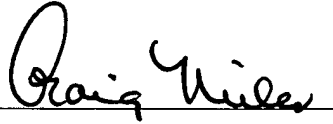
The applicant submits this Preliminary Amendment to amend the specification of the application, amend the drawings to add two additional sheets, cancel without prejudice claims 1-21 of the parent application, and add claim 22. The applicant request entry of the amendments and examination of claim 22 at the examiner's earliest convenience

Dated this 2 day of February, 2004.

Respectfully Submitted,

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I, Craig R. Miles, hereby certify to the truth of the following items:

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